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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Applicant:

GLOVER, JOHN N.

Filed: May 27, 1999

§ Art Unit: 1723

Application No.: 09/320, 950

§ Examiner: David L. Sorkin

For: FILTERING MEDIUM AND
METHOD FOR CONTACTING SOLIDS
CONTAINING FEEDS FOR CHEMICAL
REACTORS

§ Docket No.: 20781.004

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Applicant files this preliminary amendment for the Continued Prosecution Application for a Divisional Application pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.53(d) of Application No. 09/320,950, filed on May 27, 1999, entitled FILTERING MEDIUM AND METHOD FOR CONTACTING SOLIDS CONTAINING FEEDS FOR CHEMICAL REACTORS.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel Claims 1 through 45.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated April 26, 2000, Applicant files the following Response.

REMARKS

Applicant has chosen to pursue previously non-elected Claims 46 and 47 in a Continued Prosecution Application Divisional pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.53(d) of Application No. 09/320,950, filed on May 27, 1999, entitled FILTERING MEDIUM AND METHOD FOR CONTACTING SOLIDS CONTAINING FEEDS FOR CHEMICAL REACTORS, wherein rejected claims 1-21 have been canceled and non-elected claims 22-45 have been canceled.

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